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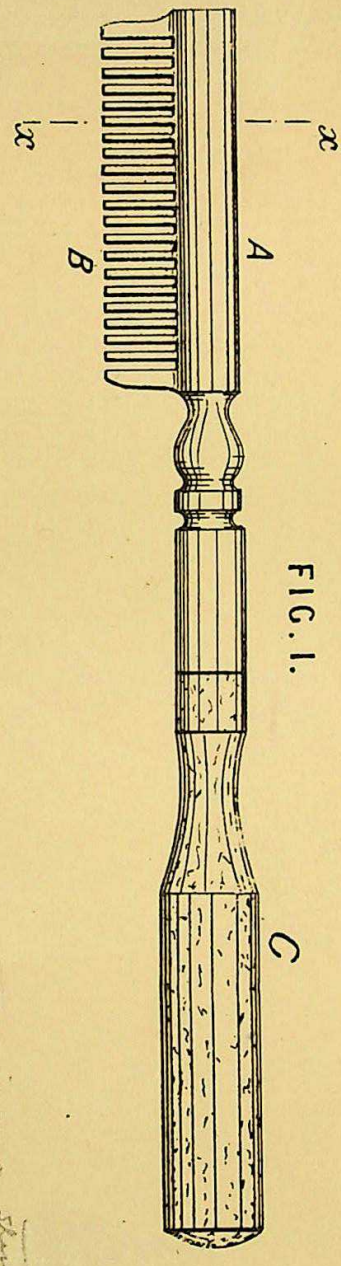

FIG. 1.

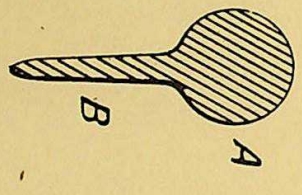

FIG. 2.

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PROVISIONAL SPECIFICATION.

[*Communicated from abroad by George Augustus Scott, of the City, County, and State of New York, United States of America, Electrician.*]

An Improved Hair Curler.

I, ALEXANDER MELVILLE CLARK, of the firm of A. M. and Wm. Clark, of 53, Chancery Lane, in the County of Middlesex, Fellow of the Institute of Patent Agents, do hereby declare the nature of the said Invention for "AN IMPROVED HAIR CURLER" a communication to me from abroad by George Augustus Scott of the City, County and State of New York, United States of America, Electrician, to be as follows:—

The object of this Invention is to provide a new and improved electro-magnetic hair curling device.

The Invention consists in a magnetised iron or steel rod provided with a handle and with comb teeth. The iron or steel rod is provided with comb teeth and is secured to a wooden or other handle in a suitable manner. The rod is then magnetised by means of a dynamo-electric machine or a battery.

The device is used for curling or crimping hair. It is heated and the comb teeth are passed through the hair and the rod is turned by means of its handle on its longitudinal axis, and thereby the hair is wound on the rod and is curled or crimped.

If desired the rod can be made hollow and heated wires may be inserted in the same for the purpose of heating it.

Dated this 27th day of July 1885.

A. M. CLARK.
By A. M. & Wm Clark, Agents.

[*Price 6d.*]

COMPLETE SPECIFICATION.

An Improved Hair Curler.

I, ALEXANDER MELVILLE CLARK, of the firm of A. M. and Wm. Clark, of 53, Chancery Lane, in the County of Middlesex, Fellow of the Institute of Patent Agents, do hereby declare the nature of this Invention (a communication to me from abroad by George Augustus Scott of the City, County, and State of New York United States of America (Electrician) and in what manner the same is to be performed, to be particularly described and ascertained in and by the following statement:—

The object of this Invention is to provide a new and improved electro-magnetic hair curling device.

The Invention consists in a magnetized iron or steel rod provided with a handle and with comb teeth.

Reference is to be had to the accompanying drawings forming a part of this specification in which similar letters of reference indicate corresponding parts in both the figures.

Figure 1 is a side view of the improved hair curling device; figure 2. is a cross-sectional elevation of the same on the line *x x* figure 1.

The iron or steel rod A is provided with comb teeth B, and is secured to a wooden or other handle C in a suitable manner. The rod is then magnetized by means of a dynamo electric machine or a battery.

The device is used for curling or crimping hair. It is heated and the comb teeth are passed through the hair and the rod is turned by means of its handle on its longitudinal axis and thereby the hair is wound on the rod and is curled or crimped.

If desired, the rod can be made hollow and heated wires may be inserted in the same for the purpose of heating it.

Having now particularly described and ascertained the nature of the said Invention and in what manner the same is to be performed I declare that what I claim is;—

1. A hair curler and crimper, consisting of a magnetized iron or steel or other metal rod provided with comb teeth, substantially as herein shown and described.

2. In a hair curler, the combination with a magnetized iron or steel rod having comb teeth of a suitable handle of wood or other material secured to said rod, substantially as herein shown and described.

Dated this 27th day of April 1886.

A. M. CLARK.

By A. M. & Wm Clark, Agents.

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